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| For:        | CHOCOLATE DRINK PREPARED USING ) |   | Docket No. BC-03-US   |
|             | AN ESPRESSO-TYPE MACHINE, AND )  |   |                       |
|             | MEANS OF PRODUCING SAME )        |   |                       |

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This response is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated November 12, 2009.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.